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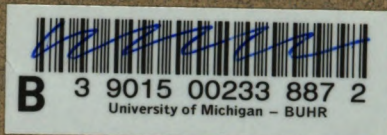
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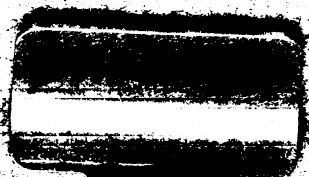
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Term expires at annual Meeting, 1905.

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Term expires at annual meeting, 1906.

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Term expires at annual Meeting, 1907.

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Fredericktown. W. R. NELSON, Kansas City.
JNO. H. BRITTS, Clinton.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The twenty-six trustees, the president and secretary of the Society, the Governor, Secretary of State, and President of the State University, constitute the executive committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

R. M. WHITE, *Chairman*, Mexico.
WALTER WILLIAMS, Columbia. ISIDOR LOEB, Columbia.

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LAW GOVERNING THE STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF MISSOURI

REVISED STATUTES OF MISSOURI, 1899, CHAPTER 112.

Sec. 7533. Society Made Trustee for the State.—The State historical society of Missouri, heretofore organized under the laws of this state, shall be the trustee of this state, and as such shall hold all its present and future collections and property for the state, and shall not mortgage or deed in trust any of its property or sell any of such property except by way of exchange for property of equal value or for reinvestment. There shall continue to be an executive committee of said society, to consist of as many members as is or may be provided in the constitution of said society, and to have the same powers as the present executive committee.

Sec. 7534. Duties of the Society.—It shall be the duty of the Society to collect books, maps, and other papers and material for the study of history, especially of this state and of the middle west; to acquire narratives and records of the pioneers, to procure documents, manuscripts and portraits, and to gather all information calculated to exhibit faithfully the antiquities and the past and present condition, resources and progress of this state; to cause its collections to be properly bound and preserved; to conduct a library of historical reference, and to publish from time to time reports of its collections and such other matters as may tend to diffuse information relative to the history of this region; and to keep the rooms containing the collections of said society open at all reasonable hours on business days for the reception of the citizens of this state, without fee.

Sec. 7535. Shall Report to the Governor—Department Reports, Etc., to be Furnished to the Society.—The executive committee of said society shall keep an accurate account of the expenditure of all money which may be appropriated for the purposes of the society, and report biennially to the governor a detailed statement of such expenditure. To enable the society to augment its collections by effecting exchanges with other societies and institutions, sixty bound copies each of the several publications of the state, and of its society and institutions, except the reports of the supreme court and the courts of appeals, shall be and the same are hereby donated to said society as they shall be issued, the same to be delivered to the society by the secretary of state or other officer having the custody of the same; to include, also, for deposit in its collections, one set of all the publications of the state, including those heretofore issued, so far as possible, not excepting the reports of the supreme court and of the courts of appeal.

HISTORICAL MATERIAL DESIRED BY THE STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF MISSOURI

The Constitution of the State Historical Society of Missouri provides that "its object shall be the collection, preservation, exhibition and publication of materials for the study of history, especially the history of this state and of the Middle West." In realizing this object the Society desires in the first place to collect everything that can in any way shed light upon the history of Missouri, from its earliest settlement to the present time. It is often the case that such

material, which is of little or no importance to the individual who possesses it, becomes of great value when incorporated as a part of a library of reference on all historical matters. With a view to encouraging the contribution of such material to its library, the State Historical Society publishes the following list of objects particularly desired by the Society:

1. Books and pamphlets relating to Missouri or to any of its subdivisions; county or other local histories or narratives.

2. Books and pamphlets written by Missourians. The Society possesses one of the most extensive collections of books by Missouri authors in existence, and desires to make the same as complete as possible.

3. Manuscripts: Any original documents containing accounts of the early settlements of Missouri or the Louisiana Territory; or of the various movements affecting the history of the State or in which its citizens have participated, from the early relations with the Indians through the French and Spanish periods to the events that have occurred under American rule. Old letters, Journals and accounts written by pioneers are especially desired. *The Society has the use of a fire-proof vault in which valuable manuscripts will be preserved.*

4. Official State Reports and Documents: Copies of the Revised Statutes, Session Acts, Journals and Appendixes of the Territorial and early State Legislatures; Messages of the Governors and Reports of State Officers, Boards and Commissions and of the State educational, charitable, eleemosynary and penal and reformatory institutions.

5. Reports and Documents of Counties, Cities, etc., Ordinances, Journals and Reports of City Councils. Reports of Mayor and other City Officials. Reports of Boards of Health, Fire and Police Departments, Reports of Boards of Trade and Commercial and Business Men's Associations. Plats of town sites and additions thereto.

6. Reports and documents of Educational Institutions: Catalogues, Schemes of Studies, Reports, Bulletins, etc., of Universities, Colleges, Academies and Public Schools; Reports of School Boards, School Superintendents, College and School Associations, Teachers' Associations, Students' Clubs and Associations, University Extension Societies, and anything which touches upon the educational life of the State.

7. Reports of Societies and Organizations: Annual and other reports of all kinds of social, religious, industrial and political organizations; reports and published documents of fraternal societies, literary associations, press associations, athletic organizations, women's clubs, social clubs, etc.; reports of all religious bodies, synods, conferences, conventions and associations; reports of railroads, manufacturing companies and commercial corporations; reports of agricultural and horticultural organizations, and of all meetings and proceedings connected with the development of the industrial, commercial, agricultural, mineral or other resources of the State; reports, platforms, declarations, etc., of all political parties.

8. Files of Missouri Newspapers and Periodicals: The Society is now receiving and binding over seven hundred newspapers representing every county in Missouri. Complete volumes of the issues of past years of all Missouri newspapers are especially desired.

9. Maps, Engravings, Paintings, Photographs, etc.: Maps of the Louisiana Purchase Territory, of Missouri, of Counties, Townships, Cities, etc.; Pictures of any kind representing historic places, buildings, etc.

10. Historical Relics: Photographs and other portraits of pioneers and

distinguished citizens; Autographs of the same; Medals; Coins; War Relics; Old Arms, Weapons, etc.; Historical Souvenirs of all kinds.

11. Indian Relics: Stone Axes, Spears, Arrow Heads, Pottery, Weapons, Costumes, Ornaments, etc.

The Society cordially invites all persons to assist it in developing a great State historical library and museum by contributing any of the above objects or anything that has any bearing upon the history of Missouri. The Society will defray all freight charges upon such donations and all contributions will be credited to the donors, in the official reports made by this Society to the Governor of the State, and will be preserved and made accessible to all the people.

All communications and donations should be addressed to the Secretary of the State Historical Society, Columbia, Missouri.

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

To His Excellency, Joseph W. Folk, Governor of Missouri, and to the Forty-third General Assembly of Missouri:

Complying with the requirements of sections 7535 and 7717 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899, I have the honor on behalf of the Executive Committee of the State Historical Society of Missouri to submit herewith a report for the biennial period ending December 31, 1904.

The past biennial period has been a successful one for the Society—successful in building up its library, and in an increased use of it; in the exhibits made by it at the World's Fair, and the consequent larger number of persons who have come in contact with its work and become interested in it.

The society brought together and prepared for exhibition at the World's Fair the publications of nearly all the newspapers and other periodicals of the State for the year 1903, many of which also included former years, the magnitude of which work can be realized from the fact that these volumes contain more than 42,000 different issues, the daily mail of the Society often exceeding 260 pieces. It also brought together for the same exhibit the very large collection of publications by Missouri authors. The preparation of the catalog of these two exhibits was no light task and required much extra time. That the exhibits were valuable and creditable is attested by the fact that the Society was given a Grand Prize and the Secretary a Silver Medal.

NEWSPAPERS.

Perhaps the majority of persons who are in the habit of daily reading the newspapers and then throwing them in the waste basket do not appreciate the importance of the preservation of files of them; and yet these same persons are greatly interested when they see a volume of them fifty to a hundred years old.

A few years ago the librarian of the Montana Historical Society obtained the opinions of the leading historical librarians of the country as to the value of newspapers, and I will quote from some of them.

Warren Upham of the Minnesota Historical Society wrote that his society had collected and preserved all newspapers published in the territory and State since 1849 and said "this department of the library is a priceless treasury of materials for future historians. All of our nearly 450 state newspapers regularly received by our Society's library are bound for permanent preservation and we now have about 3,900 of these bound newspaper volumes. They are much consulted, even those of the small and distant towns; and we regard them as the most useful source of history for future research. Kansas surpasses us in this work and Wisconsin does three-fourths as much as our Society."

William Engle, State Librarian of Pennsylvania says: "We bind 500 volumes. What to-day seems worthless, in 10, 20, or 50 years from now may be considered priceless volumes. Fifty or sixty years ago many of our state publications were either unbound or bound in paper; the result has been that of many of these no copies exist and some of them would to-day be worth their weight in gold if they could be obtained."

Nebraska State Historical Society: "I regard the newspaper as the most valuable record of the local records of the State, and would advise you not to throw away a single copy of any paper. I am hunting now high and low for old papers of any description of Nebraska, and they are the hardest things to find you ever hunted for. We are now trying to save every issue of every paper. The papers of a town are the only reference books of the contemporary history of a town in which they are printed and they will be needed as sources of history by and by."

Similar opinions were expressed by the librarians of Ohio, Connecticut, Kansas and other states.

Newspapers have the sole record of thousands of facts, and any paper, even the most obscure, may have in its advertising or local news columns data that will in future years be of great value to some in-

dividual. Few persons except publishers preserve files of papers, and these are often lost by fire leaving no known file in existence; as illustrating this fact it may be stated that J. West Goodwin of Sedalia has for years offered a silk dress to any one who will bring him a single number of a newspaper that was printed at Georgetown the former county seat, before the civil war, but he has never obtained a copy.

The law establishing the Historical Society of Montana provided that it should procure files of all newspapers that had been or should thereafter be printed in the territory, and also a copy of every book, pamphlet and magazine published in the territory. While this could not now be done by our Society of those that have been published in Missouri, yet there should be a constant effort towards that end, and funds given by the State to purchase as opportunity offers. The files of the Missouri Intelligencer and Boon's Lick Advertiser published in Franklin, Fayette and Columbia, its successor the Columbia Patriot, and the successor of that again the Columbia Statesman, all of which are in the library of the Society and covering the time from 1819 to the present, are consulted almost daily by investigators, some of whom come to Columbia for that special purpose.

JEFFERSON CITY NEWSPAPER FILES.

The Society is getting regularly a large number of Missouri periodicals, and when these that are now being bound up become a hundred years old they will be of more value and of more interest than they are now. The Society is very desirous of obtaining the newspapers of years ago from all over the state, and it now has a valuable collection from each of several counties. I will give the list of such that were published in Jefferson City, most of which were donated to the Society by E. W. Stephens, of Columbia, Mrs. W. H. Lusk and the Tribune Printing Co., of Jefferson City:

Jefferson Enquirer and Inquirer, 1840-1861, 16 volumes.

Jeffersonian Republican, 1841-1844, 2 volumes.

The Metropolitan, 1841-1850, 3 volumes.

Jefferson Examiner, 1852-1859, 2 volumes.

Daily Jefferson Inquirer, 1856-1861, 3 volumes.

The People's Tribune, 1865-1883, 18 volumes.

The State Journal, 1872-1880, 7 volumes.

Daily State Journal, 1873-1884, 17 volumes.

The Daily Tribune, 1873-1904, 86 volumes.

The Daily Eclipse, 1879-1881, 3 volumes.

Evening State Journal, 1880-, 1 volume.

Jefferson City Tribune, 1884-1904, 22 volumes.

Missouri School Journal, 1891-1903, 12 volumes.

These having been published at the State Capitol, and covering a period of sixty-four years, cannot be prized too highly, and will often be consulted when it is known that the Society has such a mine of state and local history, as these 192 bound volumes contain.

PAMPHLETS.

Pamphlets and in general any publication that has only paper binding are generally underrated. Such are used for kindling fires or otherwise destroyed by persons who would not think of destroying them if they had any kind of book binding. Wm. F. Poole, the well known librarian, says "we can make no reasonable guess as to which of the books and pamphlets of our day will be rare and priceless 200 years hence; but of this we may rest assured—that many such will be publications which we now regard as trifles or trash." If we consider the high authority for such an opinion, we will not agree with the off-hand decision of those who say about publications "Oh, that is not worth keeping." A celebrated collection of pamphlets was made in an early day in England, and many things that could have been obtained for nothing were rejected as not worth preservation, and yet the British Museum which has come in possession of the collection is offering large prices for many that were rejected as not worth the room they would occupy. One of the most notable collections in Europe is known as the Thomason Tracts in the British Museum, consisting of 30,000 pamphlets, circulars, prospectuses, broadsides, programs and what not—Historians are using them as an inexhaustible mine of material. These are old enough to have ceased to be commonplace, and are of in-

terest to any person, but we must not forget that the common-places of today will be treasures of a future generation.

Webster said of pamphlets "they have the elements of history." and in the formation of our library this fact has been kept prominent, and special efforts have been made to accumulate pamphlets relating to all possible subjects touching in any way on the history of our State or of any interest connected with it.

BIOGRAPHIES.

The papers received by the Society are read daily and if historical accounts or biographies of old citizens, are found an extra copy is requested from the publisher for the scrap book collection. These clippings properly credited to the paper publishing them will be mounted on suitable paper, classified and made into bound volumes. These papers sent for clipping are rapidly accumulating, but it is impossible to cut and mount the clippings until we have an appropriation sufficient to employ additional help; sometimes it is not possible for us to look over the papers to see if extra copies are wanted.

Carlyle said that history is the essence of individual biographies, and when we have accumulated thousands of these, and have them properly arranged and indexed the future historian cannot afford to neglect them. The Society is not established for the purpose of furnishing a historian, and does not yet have funds to employ persons who can give time to write history, but it does aim to collect the individual experiences and the events of special importance so that some one hereafter will out of it all evolve a history of our times and our people.

WORLD'S FAIR EXHIBITS.

By the help of the Missouri Commission the Society made two exhibits at the World's Fair; one of the periodicals of Missouri of the year 1903, consisting of 928 bound volumes, the other of 1855 different publications by Missouri authors. In making the latter exhibit the St. Louis Public Library and the Mercantile Library of the same city kindly loaned us books that we did not have in our own library, the number of publications from them being about 325 volumes.

The Missouri Commission also assisted in getting from editors their periodical publications for the year, sending out for this purpose three different letters, requesting the papers sent to the Society and enclosing in each a prepaid envelope for an answer. From a few neither papers nor answer was received, but the editors of the state very generally sent their publications, and are continuing to do so. The Society did not have funds to bind the periodicals of the year, but the Missouri Commission had this done for the Society and had 277 unbound books and pamphlets bound for the exhibit of Missouri authors. It also obtained donations from publishers of quite a number of books by Missouri authors, a list of which accompanies this report, and assisted in other ways materially in making the exhibits.

BIBLIOGRAPHY OF OFFICIAL PUBLICATIONS.

R. R. Bowker, editor of the Library Journal, the Publishers' Weekly and various other periodicals has for some years been engaged upon the publication of a series of bibliographies of State official publications. Part I was of the New England States, Part II of the North Central States, and Missouri will be the leading State of Part III. The publications are made by Mr. Bowker as a matter of interest in the subject, and of pride in the accomplishment of an object much more difficult than at first imagined, and from which he cannot expect a return of the expenses of the printing much less of pay for the work of himself and his employees. The Missouri part of the work has been furnished by the Secretary of the Society filling fifty-two pages of the publication, the extent of which will be a surprise to most persons that so many publications have been made by the State. The bibliography will be of benefit to libraries, and the Society did not have funds to issue it as a society publication.

TRAVELING LIBRARY.

So soon as the funds of the Society will permit it a traveling library of books relating to the history of the State, consisting of say fifteen or twenty volumes to be loaned for a period of three months to clubs that would make special use of it, should be provided; of course these books would have to be provided especially for this purpose as volumes from the regular library could not be spared.

GROWTH.

At the date of the biennial report two years ago the library of the Society consisted of 5,811 volumes and 12,873 pamphlets. In addition to these the duplicates numbered 4,100 books and 12,140 pamphlets. During the two years the accession list has grown to 9,411, an increase of 4,700 volumes. During the same time the Society received 5,505 books and bound periodicals, and 14,986 pamphlets, a total of 20,491 publications. With the clerical help the Society has had it is not possible to properly classify the pamphlets and tell the number that are not duplicates. The increase during the biennial period has been eminently satisfactory, considering the means placed at the command of the Society. but which could not have been realized if the Missouri World's Fair Commission had not agreed to add a sum not exceeding \$2,000 to the amount granted by the legislature two years ago.

IMPORTANT GIFTS.

All donations of books, pamphlets, etc., are duly acknowledged in a subsequent part of this report. Where the publication is given by the author that fact is noted. Some of the gifts are important enough for a special mention.

Mr. W. T. Carrington, State Superintendent of schools, in addition to the 60 copies of various publications made from his office gave 30 books and 356 pamphlet reports and publications of this and other states.

Judge W. S. Pratt, Columbia, 99 books and 16 pamphlets, many of them of earlier publications not now easily obtainable; also a daguerreotype of Dr. E. H. Leffingwell, professor of chemistry in the University of Missouri in 1848.

Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., through the Secretary, the late Dr. Vincil, 27 volumes of its proceedings.

Dr. H. D'B. Cutler, Glenwood, fifteen volumes of the *Glenwood Criterion*, and 7 volumes of other newspapers, 227 books, 2 pamphlets, an atlas and a civil war relic.

G. O. Hardeman, Grays Summit, Mo., many newspaper clippings, 13 volumes of Geological Survey reports of Missouri, Constitution of 1820 published in that year, and many other books.

R. W. McMullin, editor Jefferson Democrat, files of his paper from the first to the thirty-sixth volume.

Exchange National Bank, Columbia, 51 books, 95 pamphlets and 6 serial numbers.

Mrs. N. P. Willis, Columbia, 656 numbers of magazines and periodicals.

W. W. Garth, Columbia, 36 books.

Cunningham. Mrs. Ida, Columbia, 88 books.

The Hoyl Directory Company, of Kansas City, 125 large volumes of directories of various cities of the country.

The Gould Directory Company of St. Louis, a similar donation of 17 St. Louis directories.

J. West Goodwin, Sedalia, 36 books and 23 pamphlets.

F. E. Hoffman, Sedalia, 24 books and 6 pamphlets.

A. T. Fleischmann, Sedalia, 37 books and 12 pamphlets.

Dr. G. Hambach, St. Louis, 110 pamphlets and 116 serial numbers.

Hon. P. E. Hanson, the Secretary of State of Minnesota, 55 volumes of Executive documents of that State.

Hon. James A. Rose, Secretary of State of Illinois, 109 books and 119 pamphlets of the official publications of Illinois.

Col. John A. Knott, Hannibal, 16 books and 15 pamphlets and will send a complete file of his paper covering between thirty and forty years.

Peter Schaffnit, St. Louis, proceedings of the U. A. D. C. of Missouri for 28 years.

Hon. James Zacharie, New Orleans, four copies of the proclamations in the transfer of the Louisiana Territory, printed on satin, and two satin badges.

Father John Rothensteiner, Fredericktown, many clippings, an atlas, 258 serial numbers, 40 books and 45 pamphlets.

Denton J. Snider, St. Louis, nearly a complete collection of his works in 27 volumes.

W. L. Thomas, Maplewood, 33 volumes of periodicals with whose publication he was connected, bound in 25 volumes.

Art Metal Construction Company, St. Louis, the metal roller shelving for newspapers containing our exhibit of periodicals at the World's Fair was much admired by visitors to the Missouri building. It was donated to the Society by the manufacturers, and was not seriously damaged by the fire in the Missouri building.

Wm. G. Bek, Hermann, presented many books and periodicals that formerly belonged to his father's (Rev. Wm. Bek) library; obtained nearly four hundred publications from the Gasconade County Court; and procured a large donation from Mrs. Dr. J. Haffner of Hermann. There were in all, exclusive of the latter, 97 volumes of periodicals, 3 atlases, 5 manuscripts, 380 books and 104 unbound books and pamphlets.

Mrs. Dr. J. Haffner, Hermann, a collection of German publications, 65 books, 30 pamphlets, 12 bound periodicals and 35 unbound volumes.

Walter Williams, Columbia, 50 serial numbers, 25 books and 421 pamphlets, and many favors of great value to the Society. He has also deposited with it 1017 photographs and engravings of Missouri scenes and objects, obtained in the preparation of "The State of Missouri."

W. C. Breckenridge, St. Louis, 63 serial numbers, 12 books and 327 pamphlets, and as in the case of Mr. Williams, many other favors, by obtaining contributions credited directly to other persons, and giving his time to assisting with the exhibit at the World's Fair. He and Mr. Williams were efficient in saving the exhibits at the time of the fire in the Missouri building, and without them the loss would have been serious.

The publications collected by the Secretary of 15 books and 1135 pamphlets were made by him at the World's Fair, and from various sources in and out of the State, in addition to many other accessions in which credit is given to persons from whom they were obtained.

NEEDS OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE NEXT BIENNIAL PERIOD.

Salaries, \$6,960.

This is distributed as follows:

Secretary and Librarian.....	\$2,000 a year.....	\$4,000
Assistant Librarian.....	1,000 a year.....	2,000
Assistant Newspaper Clerk.....	480 a year.....	960

It is not possible with the present force to make use of a great amount of our duplicate material in exchanges. With more help the library will grow much more rapidly, and more assistance can be given to those who consult the library for historical investigations.

Binding, \$1,600.

We had bound for the World's Fair exhibit 928 volumes and also 277 books not included in this list. This could not have been done if the Missouri Commission had not done it for us. The current periodicals received by the Society number about the same as during the year 1903, and to bind the periodicals of the years 1904 and 1905 will require about 1500 volumes. The Society now has a large number of unbound volumes of old newspapers, and the promise of further valuable donations, and the amount asked will not be sufficient to do all the binding that should be done.

Printing, \$1,000.

The Society has held four annual meetings and valuable historical papers have been presented and read. Those of only one meeting have been printed. Other states, even such young ones as Montana, publish creditable volumes of transactions, and our State should not lag behind others. The Society can obtain the official publications of different states in exchange for those of Missouri,

but to get those of historical societies we should publish a series of quarterly or annual publications containing the papers read at the annual meetings and other matters worthy of preservation.

Purchase of Books, \$1,250.

The State of Wisconsin gives its Society \$5,000 per year for books and an effort is being made to have this amount increased. While much can be accomplished by donations it is simply impossible to get the books we ought to have without a fund for that purpose.

Cataloging, \$900.

The Wisconsin Society has employed for years one person on the catalog, and part of the time two. Two years ago the University librarian estimated the cost of cataloging the library we then had at \$3,335. If immediate provision is not made to catalog the entire library that part relating to Missouri should be provided for and the amount asked will allow a beginning at this work.

Contingent Fund, \$1,500.

For postage, stationery, freight, expressage, traveling expenses and other incidentals the expenses amount to considerable, and the work of collecting material in the State can be very much benefited by personal visits to various counties, perhaps to a greater extent than for almost any other purpose for the same expenditure. The Society pays freight or express charges on donations and exchanges sent to the Society, and these amount to a considerable sum, but they are small in comparison with the value of the material received.

Summary for two years:

Salaries and Labor.....	\$6,960
Binding	1,600
Printing	1,000
Purchase of Books	1,250
Cataloging	900
Contingent Expense	1,500

Total\$13,210

If we compare this amount with appropriations made for the State Historical Society by Wisconsin we will find it about one

fourth as much as given by that State. It pays the secretary, librarian and assistant librarian directly on state pay roll. It pays for or furnishes the stationery, printing and binding. It makes a standing appropriation of \$5,000 per year for the purchase of books, and in addition to all these it gives \$15,000 per year, the total for the biennial period being about fifty thousand dollars.

LIBRARY BUILDING.

An adequate fireproof library building is a most pressing need of this Society. The State University is equally in need of such a structure for the accommodation of its library and the building could be constructed for the joint use of these institutions. The biennial report of the board of curators will doubtless show how inadequate the present facilities are to the needs of the students and the preservation of the books. As regards this Society it may be safely asserted that the present conditions limit its development and usefulness and place its library and collections in serious jeopardy. Its library, which now consists of about 25,000 volumes, has been brought together without cost to the State except for the running expenses of the library. It represents the results of 35 years collection of books and pamphlets pertaining to the people, industries and institutions of Missouri and is invaluable, since it could not be replaced. This library is now located in five small rooms in Academic Hall which have been set aside for the use of the Society by the curators of the University. The rooms are entirely inadequate but the curators are unable to give additional space. Moreover, the building is not fireproof and this priceless material is subject to destruction. The force of this danger will be appreciated by those who remember the loss entailed by the destruction of the State Capitol in 1837. As an example of the value of the Society's library it may be indicated that its collection of official publications of this State is more complete than that at the State Capitol.

Finally it may be pointed out if a fireproof building is constructed, one floor may be set aside as a Historical Museum and Gallery of Portraiture. Missouri is lacking in buildings in which historical material may be safely preserved. A large amount of his-

torical relics and documents are in the hands of private possessors and could be readily obtained by the State Historical Society if the latter had a safe place in which to preserve and exhibit the same. The younger and less wealthy State of Wisconsin has shown its appreciation of the value and importance of such collections by erecting a magnificent structure at a cost of \$600,000 for the joint use of the Wisconsin Historical Society and the Wisconsin University Library. Other states have made similar provision. Missouri must act quickly as owing to the lack of such a building much valuable material is being destroyed or taken from the State. If it delays, the State will find that large appropriations will not suffice to secure such material. Today, it will be freely donated if its safe preservation can be guaranteed.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. Robinson,
President.

Columbia, Jan. 1, 1905.

RECORD OF MEETINGS, 1903-1904.

THIRD ANNUAL MEETING, MARCH 8, 1904.

At the close of the third annual meeting of the State Historical Society of Missouri, the Executive Committee met and elected the following officers for a term of three years:

H. E. Robinson, Maryville, President.
 Isidor Loeb, Columbia, First Vice President.
 John W. Million, Mexico, Second Vice President.
 W. R. Nelson, Kansas City, Third Vice President.
 W. R. Painter, Carrollton, Fourth Vice President.
 P. S. Rader, Jefferson City, Fifth Vice President.
 W. O. L. Jewett, Shelbyville, Sixth Vice President.
 R. B. Price, Columbia, Treasurer.

The following were elected members: G. C. Broadhead, S. P. Cresap, J. Viles, N. M. Trenholme, R. S. Cole, and Mrs. R. T. Tandy, all of Columbia; G. L. Faulhaber, Chas. Nagel, D. S. Tuttle, and Leo Rasseur, of St. Louis; J. B. White, Lulu E. Monroe, and H. C. McDougal, of Kansas City; R. P. Williams and D. W. Shackleford, of Jefferson City; Henry Cadle, Bethany; Will A. Rothwell, Moberly; Wm. McIlwraith, Chillicothe; Campbell Wells, Platte City; J. S. Wallace, Brunswick; H. D. Demand and R. D. Shannon, Warrensburg.

On motion of Dr. Loeb it was ordered that all membership dues shall constitute a separate fund to be used for the purchase of books pertaining to Missouri history.

A committee on program consisting of Messrs. Viles, Rader, and the secretary were appointed; also one on membership consisting of Messrs. Williams, Loeb and the secretary.

The following were appointed members of the Finance Committee: Messrs. R. M. White, Walter Williams, and Isidor Loeb.

The committee then adjourned.

FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING, DECEMBER 10, 1904.

After the fourth annual meeting of the Society the Executive Committee was convened with President H. E. Robinson in the chair.

The following were elected members: Miss Mary E. Owen, St. Joseph; Phil E. Chappell, Kansas City; E. M. Shepard, Springfield; H. M. Belden and N. T. Gentry, Columbia; and Earle Layman, of St. Louis.

R. M. White, Walter Williams and Isidor Loeb were reappointed as the Finance Committee.

On motion of Prof. Loeb the Finance Committee was directed to take steps towards the publication of a quarterly periodical by the Society.

The committee adjourned.

FINANCIAL REPORT, 1903-1904

The following financial report of the Executive Committee for the biennial period ending December 31, 1904, is a part of the biennial report of the Executive Committee:

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation by the Forty-Second General Assembly.....	\$5000 00
Annual fees of members at \$1.00 per year.....	55 00
Total.....	\$5055 00

DISBURSEMENTS 1903-1904.

No. of warrant.	To whom issued.	Amount.
JANUARY—MARCH.		
1	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	\$ 375 00
2	Minnie Organ, salary	180 00
3	M. P. Weinbach, labor	18 25
4	F. A. Sampson, expenses.....	65 94
5	Missouri Statesman, stationery	2 50
6	Hammond Typewriter Co., supplies	6 07
7	E. W. Stephens, printing.....	121 79
8	Isidor Loeb, expenses	9 80
9	R. M. White, expenses.....	9 39
APRIL.		
10	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
11	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
12	F. A. Sampson, expenses	2 95

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1903—Continued.

No. of vouchers.	To whom issued.	Amount.
MAY.		
13	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
14	Minnie Organ, salary	40 00
15	F. A. Sampson, expenses.....	9 48
16	A. T. Duncan, shelving	16 55
JUNE.		
18	F. A. Sampson, salary	125 00
19	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
24	Minnie Organ, salary	20 00
17	R. M. White, traveling expenses.....	3 39
20	F. A. Sampson, freight, postage, etc.....	13 20
21	Columbia Tribune, printing	3 00
22	R. M. White, traveling expenses.....	3 39
23	Isidor Loeb, traveling expenses.....	8 30
JULY—AUGUST.		
25	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	250 00
26	Minnie Organ, part salary.....	20 00
27	Columbia Tribune, postal cards.....	7 00
28	F. A. Sampson, freight, etc., and traveling expenses.....	32 39
SEPTEMBER.		
29	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
30	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
31	Missouri Statesman, printing	2 25
32	F. A. Sampson, freight, postage, etc.....	12 78
OCTOBER.		
33	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
34	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
35	F. A. Sampson, freight, etc.....	8 63
36	Hammond Typewriter Co., supplies.....	3 95
37	A. T. Duncan, shelving.....	18 70
NOVEMBER.		
38	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
39	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
40	F. A. Sampson, freight, postage, etc.....	35 14
41	Columbia Tribune, postal cards.....	6 50
42	Columbia Statesman, printing	12 50
43	R. M. White, traveling expenses.....	3 39

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1903—Continued.

No. of vouchers.	To whom issued.	Amount.
DECEMBER.		
44	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
45	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
46	Hammond Typewriter Co., mimeograph.....	18 50
47	Palmyra Spectator, printing	66 51
48	F. A. Sampson, freight and traveling expenses to American Historical Society	56 50
49	C. C. Newman & Co., coal oil stove.....	4 90

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1904.

JANUARY—FEBRUARY, 1904.		
50	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	250 00
51	Minnie Organ, part of salary	20 00
52	C. B. Miller, boxes.....	1 25
53	F. A. Sampson, freight, postage, and traveling expenses.....	34 02
54	Columbia Statesman, postal cards.....	6 50
55	Columbia Herald, printing	4 50
56	Columbia Tribune, postal cards.....	6 50
MARCH.		
57	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
58	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
59	F. A. Sampson, postage, expenses annual meeting, freight.....	32 44
APRIL.		
60	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
61	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
62	F. A. Sampson, freight, express.....	2 94
63	Columbia Statesman, printing	2 50
MAY.		
64	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
65	Minnie Organ, part of salary.....	10 00
66	R. M. White, traveling expenses.....	3 39
67	Hammond Typewriter Co., supplies.....	1 10
JUNE.		
68	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
69	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1904—Continued.

No. of vouchers.	To whom issued.	Amount.
JULY.		
70	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
71	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
72	F. A. Sampson, freight, express.....	9 50
AUGUST.		
73	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
74	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
SEPTEMBER.		
75	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
76	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
OCTOBER.		
77	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
78	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
79	F. A. Sampson, freight, traveling expenses, etc.....	62 16
80	F. A. Sampson, expenses of exhibits World's Fair.....	72 85
81	E. W. Stephens, printing catalog World's Fair exhibits.....	18 50
NOVEMBER.		
82	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
83	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
84	F. A. Sampson, postage, freight, traveling expenses.....	56 36
DECEMBER.		
85	F. A. Sampson, salary.....	125 00
86	Minnie Organ, salary	60 00
87	F. A. Sampson, expenses annual meeting.....	18 01
88	F. A. Sampson, postage, freight, labor.....	21 75
89	F. A. Sampson, travelling expenses to American Historical Association	41 25
90	C. B. Miller, boxes.....	1 50
91	E. W. Stephens, printing.....	3 00
92	Columbia Tribune, postal cards.....	6 50
93	Columbia Statesman, printing	3 00
94	R. M. White, traveling expenses.....	1 25
95	Walter Williams, traveling expenses.....	7 20
96	Isidor Loeb, traveling expenses.....	1 65

RECAPITULATION.

Appropriation 1903-1904	\$5000 00	
Membership fees	55 00	
Disbursements 1903-1904	4943 26	
Balance from general fund.....		\$ 56 74
Membership money held as a special book fund.....		55 00

State of Missouri }
 County of Boone } ss.

F. A. Sampson, Secretary of the State Historical Society, being duly sworn on his oath, says that the foregoing financial report is correct in all matters and things therein contained.

F. A. SAMPSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of January, 1905.
 My commission will expire October 30, 1905.

ETHYL M. FINE, Notary Public.

TREASURER'S BIENNIAL BALANCE SHEET.

RECEIPTS.		
Balance on hand January 1, 1903.....	\$ 727 34	
State Treasurer	5000 00	
		\$5727 34
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Warrants paid out—		
1902	\$ 662 30	
1903 for 1902.....	65 04	
1903	2503 64	
1904	2439. 62	
		\$5670 60
Balance on hand.....		56 74

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

Donors.	Books.	Pamph- lets.
Academy of Science, St. Louis.....		16
Alabama Dept. of Archives and History.....	7	2
American Book Co., New York.....	1	
American Historical Association	4	1
American Medical College, St. Louis.....		2
American Museum of Natural History, New York.....	7	12
Anderson, Woodford D., <i>the author</i> , New York.....	1	
Andrea, J. Will, Clayton.....		3
Arizona, Secretary of Territory.....		21
Arkansas, Secretary of State.....	2	6
Arthur, A. J., <i>the author</i> , Salem.....	1	
Arthur, J. H., LaPlata		1
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Company.....		1
Austria, Commissioner to World's Fair.....		10
Ball, Dr. J. M., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Ball, Sydney H. and A. F. Smith, <i>the authors</i>	1	
Barnes Medical College, St. Louis.....		7
Barr & Widen Co., St. Louis.....	2	
Barry County Baptist Association.....		7
Bartholdt, Hon. Richard, St. Louis.....		16
Black, Edgar R., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Beadles, J. E., <i>the author</i> , Monticello.....	1	
Beasley, Geo. H., Columbia, serials 24.....		12
Beasley, Mrs. Geo. H., Columbia, portrait.....		
Becker, W., Eden		2
Bee Keepers' Association		4
Bek, Miss Anna, Hermann.....		4
Bek, Wm. G., Hermann, 97 vols. periodicals, 3 atlases, 5 manu- scripts	380	104
Bethel Baptist Association		3
Bible College, Columbia		3
Blair, James L., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		1
Blanton, J. P., <i>the author</i> , Columbia.....		1
Blees Military Academy, Macon.....		2
Bodine, T. V., <i>the author</i> , Paris.....	1	
Bradford, Columbus, <i>the author</i> , Licking.....	1	
Breckenridge, W. C., St. Louis, serials 63.....	12	327
Britton, Rollin J., <i>the author</i> , Gallatin.....		3
Britts, Dr. J. H., Clinton		2
Broadhead, G. C., Columbia, 1 broadside, 4 keys.....	2	28
Brown, Clark, Union, 1 map.....		
Budgett, Sidney P., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		3

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS—Continued.

Donors.	Books.	Pamph- lets
Buchanan College, Troy		1
Buchman, G. V., Sedalia.....		1
Burton & Hurd Co., Kansas City.....		1
Burton, Wm., Columbia		8
Bush, B. F., <i>the author</i> , Courtney		3
Byars, Wm. V., St. Louis.....	2	
Calvert, Dr. W. J., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		14
Camden Point Military Institute.....		1
Campbell, Floy, <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....	1	
Cape Girardeau Baptist Association.....		4
Carleton College, Farmington		4
Carradine, Rev. B., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Carter, T. S., Sturgeon		3
Carthage Collegiate Institute		1
Central Medical College, St. Joseph.....		6
Central Wesleyan College, Warrenton.....		1
Centenary Academy, Palmyra		2
Charles, Benj. H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Chicago, University of.....	102	34
Chillicothe Normal School		1
Christian Bros. College, St. Louis.....		2
Christian Church, Stanberry		1
Christian Church, Missouri Convention.....		2
Christian County Baptist Association.....		2
Christian Publishing Co., St. Louis.....	1	
Church of God Publishing House, Stanberry.....		22
Churchill, Winston, <i>the author</i> , New Hampshire.....	2	
Civic Improvement League, St. Louis, serials 7.....	1	17
Clarksburg College		2
Cockrell, Hon. F. M., Warrensburg.....	11	15
Cole, Redmond S., Columbia.....		22
College of Physicians and Surgeons, St. Louis.....		1
Colonial Wars, Missouri Society.....	1	
Columbia Business College		1
Columbia Statesman		21
Conception College, New Conception.....		3
Concordia Publishing House, St. Louis.....		1
Cone, Wm. W., <i>the author</i> , Brandsville.....	1	1
Conference of State and Provincial Boards of Health.....		1
Connecticut Historical Society		2
Connecticut Commissioners of Fisheries and Game.....	1	
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.....		1
Cosgrove, Henrietta C., <i>the author</i> , Joplin.....	1	
Cottey College, Nevada		1
Cowee, Arthur, Berlin, New York.....		1
Cowherd, Hon. W. S., Kansas City.....		6
Crabtree, James H., <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....		23

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS—Continued.

Donors.	Books.	Pamph- lets.
Craig, Jesse T., <i>the author</i> , Poplar Bluff.....	1	
Croton Aqueduct Board, New York.....		1
Crow, Carl, Columbia	9	13
Cunningham, Mrs. Ida, Columbia	88	
Current, Major W. H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis, serials 13.....	18	6
Curry, Rev. E. S., <i>the author</i> , Christy.....	1	
Cutter, Dr. H. D'B., Glenwood, newspaper vols. 22, atlas 1.....	218	30
Dalton, Miss Mary L., St. Louis, manuscript 1		
Davless County Baptist Association.....		3
Dearing, M. M., Washington.....	16	1
De Soto Commercial College.....		1
Dierkes, Bernard, <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		1
Dillingham Co., G. W., New York.....	1	
Dopf, John D., Rock Port, newspaper vols. 6.....	3	22
Drake, Mrs. Maud Lord, <i>the author</i> , Kansas City	2	
Drummond, M. P., Palmyra.....	1	3
Drury College, Springfield		2
Dungan, Dr. J. A., Columbia, 3 stone implements.....		
Eden College		2
Eden Publishing Co., St. Louis.....	7	5
Edgar, T. B., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Elliot, Mrs. Henry C., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Ellwood, C. A., Columbia.....		3
Ensworth Medical College, St. Joseph.....		1
Evans, Mrs. C. C., Sedalia.....		1
Ewing, Dr. A. E., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		12
Exchange National Bank, Columbia.....	51	95
Fielder, Elizabeth Davis, <i>the author</i> , Louisiana.....	1	
Fitch, Mrs. L. N., Columbia.....		15
Fleischmann, A. T., Sedalia	37	12
Fletcher, R. H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		1
Forest Park University, St. Louis.....		3
Francis, Hon. D. R., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Frauenthal, B. W., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	2	
French Publishers' Association, Paris.....	1	52
Fulton Synodical College, Fulton.....		2
Garner, Wm. L., <i>the author</i> , Chillicothe		10
Galloway, B. T., <i>the author</i> , Washington.....		10
Garrett, Corydon		3
Garrison, J. H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Garth, W. W., Columbia	35	
Gaylord Institute, Platte City.....		2
Geitz, Dr. H. A., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		7
Gentry, N. T., Columbia		5
Gentry Baptist Association		2
Geo. R. Smith College, Sedalia.....		1
Girardy, Rev. F., Kansas City.....	1	

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS—Continued.

Donors.	Books.	Pamph- lets.
Glatfelter, Dr. N. M., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Godsey, Roy, Hopkins, manuscript.....		
Goodman, L. A., Kansas City.....	2	
Goodwin, J. West, Sedalia.....	36	23
Gould Directory Co., St. Louis.....	17	
Graban, Rev. F., Little Rock, Ark.....		14
Graham, W. O., <i>the author</i>	1	
Grand River College, Gallatin.....		2
Greenwood, J. M., <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....		4
Groves, A. W., <i>the author</i> , Potosi.....		2
Haffner, Mrs. Dr. J., Hermann, 12 bound vols. periodicals, 35 un- bound.....	65	30
Hahnemann Medical College, Kansas City.....		1
Hale, Philip H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		1
Hallock, Jas. C., <i>the author</i> , New York.....	1	
Hambach, Prof. G., St. Louis, serials 116.....	1	110
Hamlin, Hon. Courtney W., Springfield.....		1
Hancock, G. B., <i>the author</i> , Scholten.....	1	
Hannibal Public School Board.....		5
Hardeman, G. O., Grays Summit, clippings.....	20	1
Hardin College, Mexico.....		4
Hawes, Harry B., St. Louis.....	1	
Hays, Miss Florence, Manitowoc, Wis.....		2
Heller, Prof. Otto, <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	4	
Historical and Philosophical Society of Ohio.....		1
Hoffman, C. E., <i>the author</i> , Rutledge.....	1	
Hoffman, F. E., Sedalia.....	24	6
Hogan, Bishop John J., <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....	1	1
Holley, Wm. V., <i>the author</i> , Los Angeles, Cal.....	1	
Hoyl Directory Company., Kansas City.....	125	
Howard Payne College, Fayette.....		2
Howard Memorial Library, New Orleans, maps 6.....		
Hudson-Kimberly Publishing Co., Kansas City.....	9	32
Huegel, J. Q., Jefferson City.....	12	b
Huttig Sash and Door Co., St. Louis.....	1	
Iberia Academy, serials 11.....		1
Illinois, Agricultural Experiment Station.....		26
Secretary of State.....	109	119
State Historical Library.....	1	
Iowa, State Historical Society.....	6	8
Jacks, Jno. W., Montgomery City.....		4
Japan, Imperial Commission to World's Fair.....	1	2
Jefferson City Public Library.....		1
Jerould, J. T., Columbia, serials 8.....		4
Jesse, Pres. R. H., Columbia.....		22
Jones, J. Wm., Richmond, Va.....		1
Just, Gustav, <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS—Continued.

Donors.	Books.	Pamphlets.
Kansas State Historical Society.....	60	363
Kansas City Board of Education.....		3
City Comptroller		2
Dental College		2
School of Law		2
Veterinary College		4
Kargau, E. D., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station.....		92
State Historical Society		1
Kenrick Seminary, St. Louis.....		1
Kirksville Business College		1
School of Osteopathy		4
Knott, Col. John A., Hannibal.....	16	15
Lafayette & Johnson Baptist Association.....		1
Lamine Baptist Association		1
Lange, Heinrich C., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	3	
Lawrence County Baptist Association.....		5
Lee, Josephus, <i>the author</i> , Everton.....		1
Lewis, Carl A., Guilford, Conn.....		1
Lexington Historical Society		1
Lindenwood College, St. Charles.....		5
Lionberger, Isaac H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	1	
Little Bonne Femme Baptist Association.....		2
Loeb, Prof. Isidor, Columbia.....	1	31
Longan, G. B., <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....	1	
Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company.....	9	
Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company.....		2
Lovin, A. B., <i>the author</i> , Springfield.....	1	
Lutesville Normal		1
McAlester, Dr. A. W., Columbia.....		25
McCallister, Dr. W., Centralia.....	1	5
McClellan, E. E., Sedalia		2
McDougal, H. C., <i>the author</i> , Kansas City.....		4
Macfarlane, Mrs. Alice O., Columbia, serials 11.....	4	11
McMurry, Rev. W. H., St. Louis.....		1
Macon Baptist Association		13
Mallinckrodt, James F., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		4
Manly, Prof. W. G., Columbia.....		1
Marion-Sims-Beaumont Medical College, St. Louis.....		1
Marion-Sims Dental College, St. Louis.....		1
Marvin Collegiate Institute, Fredericktown.....		3
Maryville Seminary		6
Masonic Grand Lodge of Missouri.....	12	15
Massachusetts; Hatch Experiment Station.....	7	34
Mayfield-Smith Seminary, Marble Hill.....		3
Medico-Chirurgical College, Kansas City		1
Mekeel, C. H., <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....	3	

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Donors.	Books.	Pamph-lets.
Merwin College		7
Meyer, Moritz, <i>the author</i> , St. Louis.....		1
Mexican Commission World's Fair.....		6
Michigan Board of Agriculture.....	18	
State Library	46	36
Agricultural Experiment Station		2
Military Institute, Camden Point.....		1
Miller, Prof. A. C., <i>the author</i> , Fayette.....	1	1
Miller County Baptist Association.....		4
Milwaukee Public Museum		9
Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station.....	7	13
Secretary of State	55	
Mississippi, Dept. of Archives and History.....		1
Mississippi River Commission	8	
Missouri Baptist General Association.....		1
Missouri Bar Association		1
Missouri Botanical Garden, St. Louis.....	1	1
Missouri Dental College, Kansas City.....		1
Missouri Historical Society, St. Louis.....	3	
Missouri Military Academy, Mexico.....		1
Missouri, Kansas & Texas R. R. Co.,		4
Missouri Press Association		22
Missouri River Commission	6	1
Missouri Valley College, Marshall.....		10
Monitor, Moberly		2
Monroe, Frank, Sedalia		2
Montana State Library	14	125
Agricultural Experiment Station		47
Morgan County Democrat		1
Mt. Moriah Baptist Association.....		6
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Association.....		1
Mt. Salem Baptist Association.....		1
Mt. Zion Baptist Association		7
Moberly Public Library	1	
Mumford, Prof. F. B., <i>the author</i> , Columbia.....		6
Neal, Geo. A., <i>the author</i> , Doniphan.....		3
Nebraska Bureau Statistics and Labor.....	1	
Nevada, Secretary of State.....		
New England Hist. General. Soc.....		1
New Hampshire Historical Society.....		2
State Library	22	
New York General. and Blog. Soc.....		1
Agricultural Experiment Station, Ithaca.....	4	45
Historical Society	28	1
State Historian	14	
Niedermeyer, F. W., Columbia	1	
North Carolina, Board of Agriculture.....		1

DONORS OF BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS—Continued.

Donors.	Books.	Pamph- lets.
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